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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO
COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS
FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS
CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE
SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO
ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the *Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures*, mailed May 8, 2003, for which a response was due on June 8, 2003. A two month extension of time is enclosed to extend the deadline to file this response until August 8, 2003. This response is therefore timely filed.

AMENDMENTS